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## GUATEMALA.

*Report from Puerto Barrios, fruit port.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Wailes reports:

Week ended July 9. Present officially estimated population, 250. General sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, very good.

Bills of health issued to the following-named vessels:

Date.	Vessel.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.	Pieces of baggage disinfected.
July 3	Bluefields.....	25	0	.....	.....
9	Corinto .....	29	8	.....	.....

## HAWAII.

*Report from Honolulu—Examination of rats for plague infection.*

Passed Assistant Surgeon Currie reports, June 27, through Chief Quarantine Officer Cofer:

*Week ended June 27.*

Rats trapped in Honolulu.....	648
Rats found dead .....	1
Total number of rats taken in Honolulu .....	649
Rats from Honolulu examined in this laboratory .....	567
Rats examined in Hilo under supervision of this laboratory .....	36
Total number of rats examined bacteriologically.....	603
Total number of rats destroyed.....	685

*Classification of rats from Honolulu.*

Mus rattus.....	155
Mus norvegicus .....	202
Mus alexandrinus .....	103
Mus musculus.....	185
Total classified .....	645
Average number of traps set daily .....	720
Ounces of poison placed (kind of poison used barium carbonate).....	16
Rats shot in trees .....	5
Rat holes fumigated with carbon bisulphide .....	5
Rats from Honolulu showing plague infection .....	0
Rats from Hilo showing plague infection.....	0

## HONDURAS.

*Report from Ceiba, fruit port—Local drainage improved.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Jumel reports:

Week ended July 7. Present officially estimated population, 6,500. General sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, good.

Local drainage has been materially improved by effectual dredging of the silted mouth of a small creek which flows diagonally through